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## **1<sup>st</sup> / 2<sup>nd</sup> GRADE OUTDOOR SOCCER RULES:**

1. This is a recreational league therefore the objective of this program is not on winning but on the basic fundamentals of soccer, good sportsmanship and having FUN.
2. Absolutely NO slide tackling.
3. Players are required to wear shin guards. Cleats are strongly recommended.
4. Each player will receive equal amounts of playing time with the opportunity to play all positions.
5. A size 3 ball will be used.
6. 6 vs 6 (5 field, 1 goalie). Goalies must wear the provided yellow pinnies.
7. 4 quarters, each 10 minutes in duration.
8. There will be 1 referee provided. If one does not show, a knowledgeable spectator may officiate but must NOT coach players.
9. There will be no offsides called. BUT will be enforced if taken advantage of.
10. Free substitution for both teams. Ball must be out-of-play before subs can enter into the game.
11. Throw-ins. 1 warning will be given per throw-in for improper technique and then the ball will be turned over to the opposing team.
12. Corner kicks. All field players must stay outside of the goalies box until the ball is put into play.
13. Spectators will stay 10 feet from sidelines and are not allowed behind the goal or end lines. This is for spectator and player safety.
14. STAY SAFE AND HAVE FUN!!

All games are played at Glik Park next to the skate park.